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No charge for delivery in city. jan28

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POTOMAC BRAND OF FLOUR,

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GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
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ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS,
and PURE OLD RYE, OLD WHISKY and
MONOGRAM WHISKIES; also BAKER'S and
THOMPSON'S PURE RYE WHISKIES, to which
they invite the attention of the trade.

Orders from the country for merchandise shall
receive prompt attention.

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duce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest
market prices and prompt returns.

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inquire at company's office on the wharf.

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Connecting at Norfolk with the OLD
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Leaves TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SUNDAY
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Exchange. Advertisements, orders for the paper,
news, or any information or business can be sent by
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second-class matter.)

Col. McCarty's Eventful Career

We had the pleasure of meeting yesterday
with a gentleman who has had an eventful
and adventurous career. We allude to Col.

Wm. F. M. McCarty, soldier, engineer and
chemist, who has figured in stirring scenes
in many lands.

He is a native of Loudoun county, Vir-
ginia, and was residing in Texas at the break-
ing out of the civil war. He came to Virginia
in command of a Texas cavalry regiment,
and camped near this city. They were some
of his soldiers who "cleaned out" the ob-
streperous Louisiana Tigers here. After
the war Col. McCarty went to Mexico and
fought under the ill-fated Maximilian.

When the bottom dropped out there, having
become acquainted with influential French
officers, he went to France, where he re-
ceived a good appointment in the army,
and was sent to Algiers. When the Franco-
German war opened he was ordered back to
France, and fought all through that strug-
gle, receiving a severe wound in a desperate
charge.

He next received a commission in the
Russian service, and followed the fortunes
of Skobeleff over the Balkans in the des-
perate Turkish war. Afterward he marched
with the Russian army into Turkistan,
to within forty miles of Herat, and helped
to locate the railroad in that direction, which
he says Russia is laying for military pur-
poses, and will finally use in its march on
India. Every Russian is taught as part of
his religion that he must get his feet on the
precipice.

Later Colonel McCarty commanded military
prisons in Siberia, and says all the talk
about cruelties and outrages there is bosh.
The prisoners were well treated, except
when they misbehaved and deserve punish-
ment.

The Colonel having invented a valuable
process for making steel on the basic plan,
the Russian Government remunerated him
handsomely for it, and put it in successful
operation. It is so highly prized by the
Government that it endeavored to se-
cure a monopoly of the secret, as it has now
of the Russian sheet-iron process, but this
the Colonel declined, and desires that his
native country shall have the benefit of it.

Colonel McCarty states that he never en-
joyed life more than in Russia, and left it
with regret. He is a man of fine physique,
a good talker, of superior accomplishments,
looks every inch a soldier, and it is no won-
der that he has been able to work his way
so well to the front under many flags.—
Lynchburg Virginian.

THE DOLLAR WAS GOOD.—"That dollar
is a counterfeit," said the barkeeper in a
prominent downtown resort yesterday, as he
threw back to a customer a coin which
had a very base ring. The customer exam-
ined it carefully and threw it back. "Bet
you \$5 it isn't a counterfeit," he said.

Again the barkeeper looked it over. Then
he pulled out a roll, skinned off a \$5
note, threw it on the mahogany, and said:
"I'll take your bet—how will you prove it?"

The customer took the coin, peeled off a thin
coating of tinfoil that had surrounded it, and
threw down a perfect dollar. The barkeep-
er looked blank, but handed over his money.
"I'll get it back again," he said "if you'll
show me how it's done."

Perfectly willing to give his victim a
chance, the customer took out a roll of thin
foil, cut a circle the size of a silver dol-
lar, and put it on the face of the coin. Then
he rubbed it in vigorously until it took every
line of the dollar. He did the same with the
eagle side, and then he took a strip and
ran it around the milled edge, rolling
the dollar around until the milled showed
plainly. It then looked like a silver dollar,
but it had the greasy feeling of a counterfeit
and its ring was scandalously spurious. The
barkeeper knew the trick and won his
\$5 back three times during the day.—Chica-
go Herald.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises,
Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter,
Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and Skin
Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay
required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satis-
faction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per
box. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for
children teething, is the prescription of one of the
best female nurses and physicians in the United
States, and has been used for forty years with
never-failing success by millions of mothers for
their children. During the process of teething
its value is incalculable. It relieves the child
from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhea, griping
in the bowels and wind-colic. By giving health
to the child it rests the mother. Price 25 cents a
bottle.

DRY GOODS, MILLINERY

NOTIONS, &c.,

AT AND BELOW COST!

Intending to change our business, we will on and
after

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17th, 1890,

Sell at and below cost for cash our entire stock of
Dry Goods, Millinery, Notions,

&c., &c.

The entire stock is new and well selected.
DEALERS CAN OBTAIN BARGAINS.

As the stock will be sold.

JOHN DONNELLY & SON,

NO. 320 KING STREET.

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FRENCH NECK MEROIN SHIRTS extra heavy
At A. B. SLAYMAKER'S
sep26

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE.

ONE NIGHT ONLY, TUESDAY, March 4,
The Talented Young Actor,

MARTIN HAYDEN,

In the Sensational Melodrama,
Held in Slavery,

Produced with special scenery and wonderful me-
chanical effects.

A rain storm of real water on the Gulf of Mexico,
with mechanical sail boat.

A realistic fire scene, representing the interior of
a burning house and its final collapse.

Popular prices—15, 25, 35 and 50c. Seats on
sale now at Allen's drug store without extra
charge. feb28 4t

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR RENT—The TWO FRAME DWELLINGS
Nos. 419 and 433 north Columbus street; 6
rooms and bath. Possession given March 15th.
Both houses new and very desirable. Apply at
427 north Columbus street. mh1 17

FOR SALE OR RENT.

I have for sale or rent
FOUR DWELLING HOUSES
AND
SEVERAL BUILDING LOTS.

Also a FISH HOUSE and OUTFIT, with a cap-
acity for striking 200,000 fish. The latter is a
good opportunity for any one desiring to engage
in the fish business. feb27 1ap1 WM. H. SMITH, City Sergeant.

FOR SALE—STOCK, FIXTURES and GOOD
WILL of the TOBACCO and CIGAR STORE
No. 323 King street. Terms low. Apply on the
premises. I am compelled to close business on
account of ill-health. feb26 1w JOHN A. FIELD, Agent.

FOR RENT—A SIX-ROOM HOUSE, with water
and gas. No. 416 north Fairfax street; also a
FIVE-ROOM HOUSE on Potomac street, between
Lee and Union streets. Apply at 418 north Lee
street. feb26 1w JOHN T. HILL.

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE RESI-
DENCE, ten rooms, in excellent repair, heat-
ed by furnace in cellar, but arranged to use stoves
if desired; gas throughout the house, hot and
cold water in kitchen and bath; location good;
price \$2,300. Also a LOT in N. E. Washington.
For further particulars inquire at 405 north Fair-
fax street. feb1 1m

FOR RENT—THE FRAME HOUSE
No. 413 south Lee street. The house is in per-
fect order, and to a good tenant the rent will be
low. Apply at
feb1 17 504 PRINCE STREET.

FOR SALE—TWO NEW and CONVENIENT BRICK
HOUSES, Nos. 413 and 415 north St. Asaph
street, containing six rooms and a bath room
each, with good yards. Apply to
feb19 17 J. O. S. BEACH, 423 north St. Asaph street.

FOR RENT—THE THREE STORY BRICK
WAREHOUSE No. 113 King street, recently
occupied by C. S. Taylor, Jr. Possession given
immediately. Apply to
aug19 C. C. SMOOT & SONS.

FOR RENT.

THIRTY ACRES OF LAND,
lying immediately in front of the Theological
Seminary, adjoining the farm of Wm. Cleveland.
Apply at this office. sep15 17

BALD HEADS, NOW IS YOUR CHANCE!

If your hair is getting thin and you want to
thicken it up,

Morgan's Vegetable Hair Tonic

For sale by J. D. H. LUNT, Alexandria, Va., will
do it. Price \$1 per bottle. All we ask is a trial.
feb26

FARMERS, READ
X. O. DUST!
THE NEW and GREAT DISCOVERY,
X. O. DUST!

For the relief from the Texas or Buffalo Fly on
Cattle, just received and for sale by
sep9 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

DR. HORTON'S MIASMA ANTIDOTE.

THE ONLY INFALLIBLE REMEDY FOR
MALARIA and FEVER and AGUE.

It never fails to effect a speedy and permanent
cure. For sale by
oct13 WARFIELD & HALL.

YER'S VITA NUOVA,

A Life-giving, Health-renewing Cordial and Tonic,
Just received by
aug31 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

J. D. H. LUNT,

Agent for the Celebrated

ASHLEY BROMIDE OF ARSENIC WATER.

[sep25]

BREECH and MUZZLE LOADING GUNS,
IN
GREAT VARIETY OF STYLES and PRICES

Just received at 328 King, corner of Royal street.
Will be sold at very low prices. Call and see. No
charge for looking. sep10

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

ARTISTS' GOLD PAINT.

Just received, complete in one box, saucer,
brush, one bottle liquid and one of gold. Price
twenty-five cents. For sale by
mh21 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

WHY SUFFER WITH COLD FEET? Use
the WILSONIA MAGNETIC INSOLES.

They relieve coldness, numbness and rheumatic
pains. Price 50 cents per pair. For sale by
feb10 COR. KING and PITT sts., Alexandria.

MOORE BROS' GENERAL COW DRINK!

For gargle, maw bloat, bloating and fever,
Milk fever and abortion preventiv (just received
and for sale by
feb28 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

BISHOP'S BIRD DESTROYER.

" " SEED.

" " SAND.

A large supply just received and for sale by
nov14 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

G. H. MUMM'S DRY and EX. DRY CHAM-
PAGNE, in pints and quarts, always in stock
and for sale by
feb13 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

LEMON ELIX., a substitute for cathartic pills;
regulates the bowels and liver. 50 cents a
bottle. For sale by
feb10 COR. KING and PITT sts., Alexandria.

LEMON HOT DROPS cures colds, hoarseness
and sore throat. Price 25 cents per bottle.
For sale by
feb10 COR. KING and PITT sts., Alexandria.

DRY CATAWBA WINE, in pints and quarts,
for sale by
feb13 GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

LADIES' FINE KNIT VESTS at 25c just re-
ceived by
oct12 AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

50 DOZEN INDIA PALE ALE and BROWN
STOUT just received. Only \$1.50 per doz-
en at
oct18 MCBURNEY'S.

EXTRA FINE G. P. TEA, new crop, just re-
ceived by
feb24 J. C. MILBURN.

FRENCH PEAS, very fine, for sale by
feb5 J. C. MILBURN.

AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a conveyance from the owner of
the SCHOONER E. K. HART to the undersigned
to secure the payment of a note for \$200, and de-
fault having been made in its payment, I will
offer for sale the above named schooner to the
highest bidder, in front of the Custom House, in
Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, March 5th,
1890, at 10 o'clock a. m., to satisfy the claim.

feb5 15 JOHN CETCHER, Jr., Trustee.

By R. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE of the decree of the Corporation
Court of the city of Alexandria,
Va., rendered in the chancery suit of A. W. Cut-
ler vs. Jno. Tomer et al., the undersigned, spe-
cial commissioner appointed by said decree, will
on THURSDAY, the 6th day of March, 1890, at
12 o'clock noon, at the Royal street entrance to
the Market House in said city, offer for sale at
public auction, the following property, situate in
the city of Virginia:

A LOT OF GROUND, with the BUILDINGS
and IMPROVEMENTS thereon, beginning for
the same at the southeast corner of Queen and
Henry streets, and running thence east on Queen
street 75 feet; thence south parallel to Henry
street 70 feet; thence west parallel to Queen
street 25 feet to Henry street, thence north with
Henry street 70 feet to the beginning.

Terms of Sale: One third of the purchase money
to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the re-
sidue in two equal installments at six and
twelve months, secured by the bonds of the pur-
chaser, with good personal security, bearing in-
terest from the day of sale, and a retention of the
title until the same are fully paid. Conveyancing
at purchaser's expense.

GEORGE A. MUSHBACH,
Special Commissioner of Sale.

J. John S. Beach, Clerk of the Corporation Court
of the city of Alexandria, do hereby certify that the
bond required of said special commissioner of sale in
said suit has been duly executed.

JOHN S. BEACH, Clerk.
feb19 15t By J. T. CALLAHAN, D. S.

By Green & Wise, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE
OF
VALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE COUNTY
OF ALEXANDRIA.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed on the 8th
day of December, 1888, by Richard Morris and
wife and recorded in deed book No. 4, page 292,
in the Clerk's office of Alexandria county, the
undersigned, trustee, will offer for sale at public
auction, at the front door of the Court House of
Alexandria county, about 12 o'clock mid-day on
MONDAY, the 24th day of February, 1890,
(that being court day), all the certain TRACT
OR PARCEL OF LAND, situated in the county of
Alexandria, Virginia, and containing THIRTY-
SIX ACRES and ONE EOOD, more or less, sit-
ing the same land upon which the said Richard
Morris now resides, and is distant about three
miles from the city of Washington.

Terms of Sale: Cash enough to pay the cost of ex-
ecuting this trust and the sum of \$346.25, with
interest from the first day of January, 1889,
and the residue on terms to be announced on the
day of sale; the title to be withheld until all of
said purchase money, with six per cent. interest,
shall have been paid.

The above sale has been postponed till
MONDAY, the 7th day of April, 1890, at the
same hour and place. feb24 15

Trustee's Sale of Gunston Hall.

By virtue of that certain deed of trust from
Henrietta H. Sheets and Henry H. Sheets to the
undersigned, bearing date the 12th day of April,
1887, and of record on the land record s of Fair-
fax county, Va., liber G, No. 5, folio 82, I shall,
at said deed of trust, offer for sale the real estate
of said deed of trust.

THAT PART OF "GUNSTON HALL" situated in
Mount Vernon district, Fairfax county, Vir-
ginia, on Belvoir bay, bounded as follows: Begin-
ning at a point near low-water mark on the shore
of said bay and opposite a marked maple tree
near the bath house; thence west marked 3 poles
to said maple tree, a 24th w. 6 chains and 60
links to a dogwood tree on the hillside, a 51st w.
41 chains to a stake in the country road, with
said road N. 39th w. 19 chains, N. 30th w. 2
chains, N. 18th w. 94 links to a stake, a 67th w.
8 chains 3 links to a stake in Lexington line,
with said line S. 43th e. 61 chains 60 links to a
stake near a branch, N. 85th e. 25 chains 30
links to the corner of Col. Langston's land, with
line S. 52th e. 40 chains 15 links, N. 26th w. 35
chains 25 links to a black oak at the head of
"Bonny Alley ravine," N. 80th w. 2 chains 90
links, N. 6th w. 5 chains 44 links, N. 49th e. 9
chains 30 links to a poplar tree, a 87th e. 11
chains to a large chestnut oak on top of bluff,
continuing same course about 3 chains 75 links to
the "bay" at low-water mark, and thence with
the shore of said bay, the beginning, containing
THREE HUNDRED ACRES.

Gunston Hall, once the property of George Mas-
on, the author of the Bill of Rights of Virginia,
is not less historic than that of Mount Vernon, its
near neighbor. The land is fertile, building ap-
acious, wood plenty and is well watered. It is de-
serving the attention of capitalists seeking a
pleasant country home or profitable investment.